

Moonraking - "the following of crazy fancies." (Chamber's 20th C Dictionary)

This group began in February 2003, so that people with an interest in Cowling's past, could enjoy it together, instead of in isolation.

Aims agreed by the group in 2005 –

To gain enjoyment from recording and sharing as much as possible of Cowling's rich history.

To assist in the revitalising of the village, by raising its profile locally and worldwide, through announcing it's place in history, imparted through websites and other forms of communication.

'To tell the story of a community is to give it value.'

Membership

Mark Barnes, Maurice Benson, Nicky Bunting, Robin Knowles, Basil Newby, Steve Pogson, Rob Porteus, Brian Ridehalgh, Joan Tindale, Mark Wilson, Ceri Griffiths, Marie Croad, Ken Edgar jr, David Hoyle, Kevin Brigg, Margaret Gott, Maureen Cowgill, Alan Rishton, Adrian Haupt, Grant Devine, Dennis Harker and Rachel Vincett

List from April Session

Filing Cabinet

New CD's –

John Laycock old photo scans from David Smith of Bristol collection

Norman Binns photos

Nostalgia Afternoon 29/4/07 Poster and plans

Village Hall Foundation Stone

Summer Walks, Outside Events

Wainman's Carr Head documents

List for May Session

1. History requests/ artefacts/ documents (visitors)
2. History requests/ artefacts/ documents (members)
3. Nostalgia Afternoon
4. Finance update
5. Letter to church
6. St. Andrews event 3.6.07
7. Lothersdale over 60's 11.07.07
8. Photograph Book
9. Pub landlord list
10. Holmes Gott/ David Hoyle cassettes
11. New Village Hall Time capsule
12. Other items

Next session Thursday 7th June 2007 –

Venue Village Hall, time 7.30 pm